

RESOLUTION # 10-21

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARQUETTE, IOWA AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN IJOBS II APPLICATION TO THE IOWA FINANCE AUTHORITY TO LEVERAGE FUNDS RELATIVE TO THE MITIGATION OF FUTURE FLASH FLOOD EVENTS IN TARGETED AREAS OF THE CITY OF MARQUETTE, IOWA

WHEREAS, the I-JOBS II Program was signed into law by Governor Culver on April 26, 2010 to help strengthen Iowa's economy, help rebuild projects resulting from natural disasters, and preserve or create thousands of jobs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marquette, Iowa experienced flash flood events that created significant flooding and debris displacement in certain targeted areas; and

WHEREAS, following these events, the City commissioned a study to define the problem, evaluate infrastructure improvements that could alleviate the problem and preserve existing developed areas; and

WHEREAS, the study determined that several improvements, including parallel outlet pipe or box culverts, several right-of-way improvements, and pond improvements are warranted and will prevent adverse impacts; and

WHEREAS, the Engineers Opinion of Probable Cost for this phase of improvements totals approximately \$1,415,000. Further, the City will provide approximately \$507,500 in matching funds necessary to complete the planned improvements associated with this phase of this project; and

WHEREAS, the City has completed preliminary designs for this project; and will incur at least 10 percent of the project's total projected development costs within three months of execution of the grant agreement; and

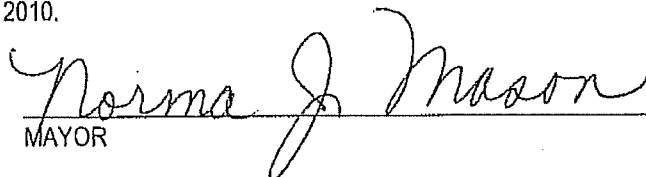
WHEREAS, the City submitted a notice of Intent to Apply for IJOBS funding on July 23, 2010 to the Iowa Finance Authority and this agency provided the City notice that the proposed project was consistent with the mandated use of IJOBS II funds; and

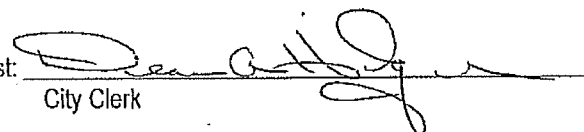
WHEREAS, the IJOBS II program requires applicants to provide evidence of Local Support for the proposed project, including the submission of an official resolution from the applicant authorizing the submission of the IJOBS II application; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Marquette, Iowa as follows:

1. The City Council supports and endorses this IJOBS II application;
2. The City of Marquette, Iowa will commit an estimated \$507,500 of the local funding match required; and
3. Authorizes appropriate public officials to submit this application on or before August 2, 2010.

Passed and approved this 20th day of July, 2010.


MAYOR

Attest: 
City Clerk